

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA

CA 21-218 ECT/BRT

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

INDICTMENT

Plaintiff,

18 U.S.C. § 701

v.

18 U.S.C. § 842(i)(1)

18 U.S.C. § 844(a)(1)

REYEL DEVON SIMMONS,

18 U.S.C. § 844(c)(1)

a/k/a Rey Reeves,

18 U.S.C. § 912

18 U.S.C. § 922(g)(1)

Defendant.

18 U.S.C. § 924(a)(2)

18 U.S.C. § 924(d)(1)

26 U.S.C. § 5861(d)

26 U.S.C. § 5871

28 U.S.C. § 2461(c)

THE UNITED STATES GRAND JURY CHARGES THAT:

COUNT 1

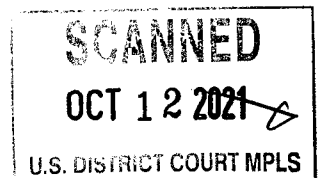
(Impersonating an Officer of the United States)

From on or about January 1, 2021, until on or about September 20, 2021, in the State and District of Minnesota, the defendant,

REYEL DEVON SIMMONS,

a/k/a Rey Reeves,

did pretend to be, held himself out as, and acted as if he were, an officer and employee acting under the authority of the United States, specifically, as a law enforcement officer with the Department of Homeland Security. SIMMONS was not an officer or employee acting under the authority of the United States during this time, a fact of which he was aware. Furthermore, while so pretending, SIMMONS acted with the intent to cause an individual, B.A., to follow a course of action and inaction, all in violation of 18 U.S.C. § 912.



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(Felon in Possession of Firearms)

On or about September 20, 2021, in the State and District of Minnesota, the defendant,

REYEL DEVON SIMMONS,
a/k/a Rey Reeves,

having previously been convicted of the following crime, which was punishable by imprisonment for a term exceeding one year:

Conviction Date (on or about)	Offense of Conviction	Jurisdiction
May 2007	Menacing – Real/Simulated Weapon	Adams County, Colorado

and knowing that he was previously convicted of at least one crime punishable by imprisonment for a term exceeding one year, did knowingly possess, in and affecting interstate and foreign commerce, firearms, specifically:

Description	Serial Number
Glock, Model 22, .40 caliber semi-automatic handgun	ERY405
Spike's Tactical Rifle, Model ST15, multi-caliber	NSL121359
Hi-Point, Model JCP, .40 caliber semi-automatic handgun	755735
Hi-Point Rifle, Model 4095TS, .40 caliber	H70792
Springfield Rifle, Model 1903 Mark I, 30-06 caliber	1127310
Savage Rifle, Model 110 BA Stealth, .338 Lapua caliber	N081085
Mossberg Rifle, Model 715T, .22 caliber	ESH4323115

all in violation of 18 U.S.C. §§ 922(g)(1) and 924(a)(2).

COUNT 3

(Felon in Possession of Explosives)

On or about September 20, 2021, in the State and District of Minnesota, the defendant,

REYEL DEVON SIMMONS,
a/k/a Rey Reeves,

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having previously been convicted of the following crime, which was punishable by imprisonment for a term exceeding one year:

Conviction Date (on or about)	Offense of Conviction	Jurisdiction
May 2007	Menacing – Real/Simulated Weapon	Adams County, Colorado

and knowing that he was previously convicted of at least one crime punishable by imprisonment for a term exceeding one year, did knowingly possess, in and affecting interstate and foreign commerce, explosives, as that term is defined in 18 U.S.C. § 844(j), specifically, pentaerythritol tetranitrate (PETN) in the form of detonating cord, all in violation of 18 U.S.C. §§ 842(i)(1) and 844(a)(1).

COUNT 4

(Possession of Unregistered Firearms)

On or about September 20, 2021, in the State and District of Minnesota, the defendant,

REYEL DEVON SIMMONS,
a/k/a Rey Reeves,

did knowingly possess firearms, as defined in 26 U.S.C. § 5845(a)(7), namely the following:

Description	Serial Number
A black metallic cylinder approximately 11 inches long and one and a half inches in diameter	No serial number
A black metallic cylinder approximately nine inches long and one and three quarters inches in diameter	No serial number
A black metallic cylinder approximately nine inches long and one and three quarters inches in diameter	No serial number
A black metallic tube wrapped in grip tape, approximately nine and a half inches long and one and a half inches in diameter	No serial number

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each of which by design, construction, and function is a device for silencing and diminishing the report of a portable firearm, none of which were registered to him in the National Firearms Registration and Transfer Record as required by law, all in violation of 26 U.S.C. §§ 5861(d) and 5871.

COUNT 5

(Possession of an Unauthorized Badge)

On or about September 20, 2021, in the State and District of Minnesota, the defendant,

REYEL DEVON SIMMONS,

a/k/a Rey Reeves,

did, without authorization, possess a colorable imitation of the badge prescribed by the head of any department or agency of the United States for use by any officer or employee thereof, specifically, the Department of Homeland Security – Homeland Security Investigations, all in violation of 18 U.S.C. § 701.

FORFEITURE ALLEGATIONS

Counts 2 through 4 of this Indictment are hereby realleged and incorporated as if fully set forth herein by reference, for the purpose of alleging forfeitures pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 924(d)(1), in conjunction with 26 U.S.C. § 5872, and 28 U.S.C. § 2461(c).

If convicted of Count 2 of this Indictment, the defendant,

REYEL DEVON SIMMONS,

a/k/a Rey Reeves,

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shall forfeit to the United States any and all firearms, accessories, and ammunition involved in or used in connection with such violation, including but not limited to the following firearms:

Description	Serial Number
Glock, Model 22, .40 caliber semi-automatic handgun	ERY405
Spike's Tactical Rifle, Model ST15, multi-caliber	NSL121359
Hi-Point, Model JCP, .40 caliber semi-automatic handgun	755735
Hi-Point Rifle, Model 4095TS, .40 caliber	H70792
Springfield Rifle, Model 1903 Mark I, 30-06 caliber	1127310
Savage Rifle, Model 110 BA Stealth, .338 Lapua caliber	N081085
Mossberg Rifle, Model 715T, .22 caliber	ESH4323115
DPMS Rifle, Model A-15, .223/5.56mm caliber	FH33438

and any and all ammunition loaded in, and associated with said firearms, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 924(d)(1) and 28 U.S.C. § 2461(c).

If convicted of Count 3 of this Indictment, the defendant,

REYEL DEVON SIMMONS,
a/k/a Rey Reeves,

shall forfeit to the United States any and all explosive materials involved in such violation, including, but not limited to pentaerythritol tetranitrate (PETN) in the form of detonating cord and blasting caps/detonators, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 844(c)(1).

If convicted of Count 4 of this indictment, the defendant,

REYEL DEVON SIMMONS,
a/k/a Rey Reeves,

shall forfeit to the United States any and all firearms involved in such violation, including, but not limited to

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Description	Serial Number
A black metallic cylinder approximately 11 inches long and one and a half inches in diameter	No serial number
A black metallic cylinder approximately nine inches long and one and three quarters inches in diameter	No serial number
A black metallic cylinder approximately nine inches long and one and three quarters inches in diameter	No serial number
A black metallic tube wrapped in grip tape, approximately nine and a half inches long and one and a half inches in diameter	No serial number

pursuant to 26 U.S.C. § 5872 and 28 U.S.C. § 2461(c).

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ACTING UNITED STATES ATTORNEY

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